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In re application of: Clemens SCHWAB
Application No.: 10/578,461
Filed: May 8, 2006
For: FUEL CELL SYSTEM WHICH CAN BE USED IN A MOBILE MANNER WITH AN ADSORPTION ACCUMULATOR

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Information Disclosure Statement with PTO 1449 (3 pages) and cited references in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
- ☐ Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ No fee for additional claims is required.
- ☐ A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

| (Col. 1) | | | | (Col. 2) | | SMALL ENTITY | | OR | LARGE ENTITY | | |
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| FOR: | REMAINING | HIGHEST | | AFTER | PREVIOUSLY | RATE | FEE | | RATE | FEE | |
| | AMENDMENT | PAID FOR | | | PRESENT | | | | | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | | | | | | x \$ 25 | \$ | | x \$ 50 | \$ | |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | | | | | | x \$ 100 | \$ | | x \$ 200 | \$ | |
| | | | | | | + \$ 180 | \$ | | + \$ 360 | \$ | |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | | | TOTAL: | \$ | OR | TOTAL: | \$ | |

- * If the entry in Co. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

- ☐ Also transmitted herewith are:
 - ☐ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - ☐ Other:
- ☐ Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is/are attached to cover:
 - ☐ Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
 - ☐ Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - ☐ Other:
- ☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
 - ☒ Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
 - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 - ☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.


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I hereby certify that the documents referred to as attached therein and/or fee are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "first class mail" with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" on February 21, 2007.

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Re: Application of: Clemens SCHWAB
Serial No.: 10/578,461
Filed: May 8, 2006 as national phase of International Patent
Application PCT/EP2004/012054, filed October 26, 2004
Art Unit: 1745
For: **FUEL CELL SYSTEM WHICH CAN BE USED IN A
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ACCUMULATOR**

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, Applicant hereby makes of record the documents listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 Form (1 page) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. While the references are being submitted herewith, some or all of the references may not constitute prior art under the U.S. patent laws.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (b), before the mailing date of a First Office Action. Therefore, no fee is believed due.

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In the event any additional fee is due in connection with this response or if any fee has been overpaid, the deficiency or overpayment should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

It is respectfully requested that the references cited in the accompanying PTO-1449 form be considered and made of record. It is respectfully submitted that the pending claims are patentable over all of the references made of record at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

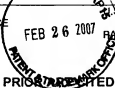
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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EXAMINER /Karie O'Neil/ (08/07/2008)

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*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

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